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**REF: STATE 80423, LONDON 5879** 

1. JOSHUA NKOMO RETURNED TO ZAMBIA FROM LUANDA WITH KAUNDA AND TOGETHER WITH MUGABE JUST HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE AT STATE HOUSE IN LUSAKA. STATEMENTS OF BOTH WERE NEGATIVE ON OWEN PROPOSALS AND U.S. PARTICIPATION BUT DID NOT SHUT DOOR COMPLETELY ON PATRITIC FRONT PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCE. THEY CLAIMED MAIN NEGOTIATING PARTIES AT CONFERENCE SHOULD BE BRITAIN AND PATRIOTIC FRONT. ANYONE ELSE INCLUDING, SMITH, COULD PARTICIPATE ON UK SIDE. FULL REPORT NOW BEING PREPARED.

2. WE HAVE NO IDEA HOW LONG NKOMO PLANS REMAIN LUSAKA. DOES DEPARTMENT WISH ME TO CONTACT HIM FOR FOLLOW UP DISCUSSED REFTELS?

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